



## **State BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002**

### **District of Columbia**

The population of District of Columbia in 2002 was 579,190.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 District of Columbia had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$44,521. This PCPI was 144 percent of the national average, \$30,821. The 2002 PCPI reflected an increase of 0.8 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of District of Columbia was \$28,916. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 District of Columbia had a total personal income (TPI) of \$25,786,286\*. In 1992 the TPI of District of Columbia was \$17,279,140\*. The 2002 TPI reflected an increase of 1.0 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.2 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and total personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of District of Columbia. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 72.3 percent of TPI (compared with 67.7 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.0 percent (compared with 19.6 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 12.8 percent (compared with 12.6 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings increased 0.9 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 5.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 11.0 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 4.8 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 1.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.2 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in District of Columbia increased from \$52,256,237\* in 2001 to \$55,074,933\* in 2002, an increase of 5.4 percent. The 2001-2002 national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$36,613,903\* to the 2002 estimate was 4.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.4 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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